

## Senate Resolution 733

By: Senators Mullis of the 53rd and Thomas of the 54th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Jim Emberson; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mr. Jim Emberson has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the  
3 vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare  
4 of the citizens of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Emberson has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours  
6 of his time, talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community as evidenced  
7 dramatically by his superlative service with the Catoosa County Board of Commissioners;  
8 and

9 WHEREAS, during his years with the Board of Commissioners, Mr. Emberson served as  
10 Commissioner for District Three from 2003 to 2008, and his leadership and guidance were  
11 instrumental in increasing reserve funds and the passage of a SPLOST referendum; and

12 WHEREAS, he served on various ACCG boards and committees representing Catoosa  
13 County, and his commitment was recognized with the Advanced Training Certification from  
14 the ACCG; and

15 WHEREAS, while Mr. Emberson was with the Catoosa County Board of Commissioners,  
16 the county saw great growth and economic development, including the opening of a transfer  
17 station to replace landfills, the consolidation of county services with the construction of a  
18 new county administration building, and the renovations of the old jail and the historic  
19 courthouse; and

20 WHEREAS, Mr. Emberson demonstrated significant organizational and leadership talents,  
21 remarkable patience and diplomacy, a keen sense of vision, and sensitivity to the needs of  
22 the citizens of Catoosa County during his time as a commissioner which earned him the  
23 respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and

24 WHEREAS, due to his dedicated service, Catoosa County has provided its many esteemed  
25 citizens with an exceptional quality of life and a welcoming home, and it is abundantly fitting  
26 that he be appropriately recognized for his outstanding public service.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
28 commend former Commissioner Jim Emberson for his wise and diligent leadership of  
29 Catoosa County and extend to him their sincere best wishes for his future health and  
30 happiness.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
32 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Jim Emberson.